## 2017 Spring Training Season Charlotte Sports Park Stadium Regulations

In an effort to enhance the safety and security of teams, fans and facilities, Major League Baseball has sanctioned mandatory new requirements and protocols for security beginning with the 2017 Spring Training Season. These increased security measures include, but are not limited to, fan screening, bag inspections, and greater police presence.

## **Prohibited Items**

- Any food and drink for individual consumption, EXCEPT those needed for medical purposes. Please note one (1) sealed plastic water bottle no larger than one (1) liter per customer and children's single-serving juice boxes are permitted.
- No hard containers of any size are permitted. In addition, bags, purses, backpacks, coolers, or containers of any kind in excess of 16" x 16" x 8" are not allowed in the stadium.
- Wrapped presents or presents of any kind in excess of 16" x 16" x 8"
- Helium balloons and beach balls
- Bullhorns, air horns, vuvuzelas, lasers, bubble machines, whistles, and noise makers of any kind
- Weapons (including firearms, large bats, and knives of any kind)
- Fireworks
- Cameras with lenses more than 12" in length
- Electronic equipment that interferes with other fans' enjoyment of the game
- Objects that can obstruct fans views including banners, flags, large sticks, or poles
- Umbrellas
- Clothing with obscene or offensive messages
- Glass containers
- Folding/lawn chairs (blankets, beach towels are permitted)

Please note that the following are the **only** food items permitted for individual consumption at the Charlotte Sports Park.

- Children's single-serving juice boxes.
- One sealed plastic bottle of water no larger than one liter.

Other than service dogs, there are no pets permitted at the Charlotte Sports Park.

The above lists are not meant to be all-inclusive; other items may be prohibited at the Charlotte Sports Park at the discretion of Charlotte County. Your assistance in prohibiting the items that are not permitted into our facility is greatly appreciated.

## **Fan Code of Conduct**

- ✓ Fans should have fun and CHEER for the Rays and Stone Crabs. There
  should be NO yelling or screaming at the players.
- ✓ Please be respectful of other fans sightlines during play.
- ✓ Be aware of bats, balls and other objects leaving the field of play. Fans are
  responsible for ensuring their own safety when inside the stadium.
- ✓ Drink responsibly. Consumption of alcohol by intoxicated or underage guests shall be handled in a prompt and safe manner.
- ✓ Observe all restricted areas including the playing field.
- ✓ Smoking (including e-cigarettes) is only permitted in the designated smoking area.

The Charlotte Sports Park is committed to creating a safe, comfortable and enjoyable ballpark experience for our fans. Go Rays!!!